Governments for appointment of Language Teachers, including Urdu. NCERT has developed new syllabus and textbooks in Urdu in accordance with NCF-2005.

(d) There is an autonomous organization *viz.* 'National Council for Promotion of Urdu Language' under Ministry of HRD dedicated to the development and propagation of Urdu Language.

Rules for establishment of a Kendriya Vidyalaya

2776. SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what is the policy governing establishment of a Kendriya Vidyalaya for primary as well as high school at a location and admission of students therein;

(b) the number of KVs currently functioning in the country, State-wise;

(c) whether there are KVs functioning overseas;

(d) if so, the staff and student position of each such KV;

(e) whether there is hardly any KV in Ghaziabad, though there is a large concentration of Central Government staff;

(f) if so, whether Government plan to set up a few KVs in Ghaziabad; and

(g) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) The policy governing establishment of a new Kendriya Vidyalaya (KV) is at Statement-I. (*See* below). Guidelines for admission of students are available at Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) website *www.kvsangathan.nic.in.*

(b) There are 916 KVs currently functioning in the country. The State-wise beak-up given at Statement-II.

(c) and (d) Three KVs are functioning overseas, the locations alongwith

the position of staff and students of the these KVs are as under:—

Name of KV	Regular Staff as on 31.8.06	Strength of Students as on 31.8.06
Moscow	Principal-01	307
(Russia)	PGT-09	
	TGT-02	
	PRT-06	
	Total-18	
Kathmandu	Principal-01	441
(Nepal)	PGT-06	
	TGT-03	
	PRT-06	
	UDC-01	
	Total-17	
Tehran	Principal-01	211
(Iran)	PGT-08	
	TGT-02	
	Total-11	

(e) There is one KV functioning at Kamla Nehru Nagar, Ghaziabad.

(f) There is no such proposal at present.

(g) Opening of a new KV depends on the proposals made by the sponsoring authorities as per the norms prescribed by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sanathan and on availability of funds.

Statement-I

Norms for opening of Kendriya Vidyalayas

1. Proposal for opening of new Kendriya Vidyalaya (Central School) is considered ony if sponsored by one of the following:—

(i) (a) Ministries or Departments of the Government of India.
(b) State Governments.
(c) Union Territories' Administrations.
(d) Organization of employees belonging to the eligible categories, (as in iii).

(ii) Free of cost land as defined under two categories *viz*, (i) Minimum (ii) Desirable, the details of which are as under:

Sl.No.	Location	(i) Minimum requirement (In Acres)	(ii) Desirable extent (In Acres)
I	Metropolitan city	02	04
II	Hilly Areas	04	08
III	Urban Area	04	08
IV	Semi-Urban/Rural Areas	05	10

The Sponsoring Authority will, however, be liable to provide land as per 'desirable norms' but where that does not become possible despite best efforts, they would be under obligation to make available land atleast to the extent of 'minimum norms', free of cost.

(iii) (a) When there is a concentration of at least 500 employees of the Defence services or of Central Government or of the Government of India Undertaking individually or jointly (250 in the case of Special Focus Districts).

(b) When there is minimum potential enrolment of children of specified categories for opening a Kendriya Vidyalaya belonging to categories I to VI which may be 200 or an average of 30 per class whichever is more.

(iv) When the sponsoring authority makes available, **free of rent or on nominal rent** temporary accommodation to house the expanding Vidyalaya till the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan does construct its own Vidyalaya building on the land leased to it; and

(v) Provision of the residential accommodation to at least 50% of the staff, should be made available by the sponsoring authority. The number of such residential units needs to be earmarked before the school is opened.

2. A new Kendriya Vidyalaya may be opened in the campus of Government of India undertaking if it agrees to bear the recurring and non-recurring expenditure including accommodation, land and future development facilities as also the proportionate overhead charges on the proposed Vidyalaya provided the need for such a Vidyalaya is established

with reference to the location and non-availability of alternate educational facilities.

3. A new Kendriya Vidyalaya may be opened in the campus of an Institution of Higher Learning, like IIT, CSIR Laboratories etc. on the same terms and conditions as stipulated in respect of Schools for Public Sector Undertaking.

Statement II

List indicating the details of state-wise functional Kendriya Vidyalayas in the country

Sl.No.	State/U.T.	Total
1.	A&N	2
2.	Andhra Pradesh	41
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	13
4.	Assam	48
5.	Bihar	38
6.	Chandiragh	5
7.	Chhattisgarh	22
8.	D&N Haveli	1
9.	Daman & Diu	1
10.	Delhi	40
11.	Goa	5
12.	Gujarat	41
13.	Haryana	27
14.	Himachal Pradesh	20
15.	J&K	36
16.	Jharkhand	25
17.	Karnataka	33
18.	Kerala	26
19.	Lakshdweep	1
20.	M.P.	75

Sl.No.	State/U.T.	Total
21.	Maharashtra	51
22.	Manipur	5
23.	Meghalaya	7
24.	Mizoram	2
25.	Nagaland	5
26.	Orissa	29
27.	Pondicherry	2
28.	Punjab	39
29.	Rajasthan	55
30.	Sikkim	2
31.	Tamil Nadu	31
32.	Tripura	5
33.	U.P.	93
34.	Uttaranchal	42
35.	West Bengal	48
	Total	**916**

Linguistic survey

2777. SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to conduct a linguistic survey across the entire length and breadth of the country beginning from 2007 for a period of 10 years with an expenditure of Rs. 280 crores;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that the linguistic profile of the country currently available with Government does not contain the data for most part of South India since the last linguistic survey did not cover this region; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the alternative data, if any, relied upon by Government hitherto?